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Sir:

Enclosed are copies of publications the subject matters of which are mentioned in the International Search Report for the Examiner's review:

1. WO 98/41089 published September 24, 1998;
2. Patent Abstracts of Japan, 10059929, published March 3, 1998, Vol. 1998, No. 8;

3. Patent Abstracts of Japan, 06271562, published September 27, 1994, Vol. 18, No. 680;
4. US 5,712,298, January 27, 1998, Amschler;
5. US 5,935,978 published August 10, 1999, Fenton et al;
6. EP 0 579 223 published January 19, 1994;
7. US 4,968,845, January 22, 1991, Oya et al;
8. GB 2 061 913 published May 20, 1981;
9. US 4,440,940, April 3, 1984, Shepherd et al;

We have enclosed a copy of the International Search Report as well as Form PTO 1449 in duplicate which is considered part of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

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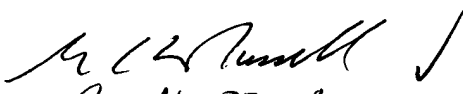
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